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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [021] with the following amended paragraph:

[021]   The determination of a fingerprint can take a variety of forms. As one example, a FFT can be utilized. The FFT can be generated according to any commercially available program or chip for computing FFTs such as FFTW version 2.1.3 developed at MIT by Matteo Frigo and Steven G. Johnson and currently available for free at the ≤FFTW.ORG≥ website. (The algorithms for computing Fourier Transforms, Discrete Fourier Transforms and Fast Fourier Transforms are presented, for example, in Signals and Systems, by Oppenheim and Willsky, Prentice Hall 1983.)